ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A merge information providing apparatus has a merge user information providing function, the merge user information providing function includes plural user information providing functions providing information regarding a user as subordinate user information providing functions, wherein the merge information providing apparatus acquires the information regarding the user from the user information providing function and provides the acquired information regarding the user with merging.

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